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Containing the freſheſt Advices, both Foreign and Domeſtic.

TUESDAY, APRIL 30, 1771.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FRANCIS HENRICKS,
PEWTERER,
Who can be well recommended in his Trade,

INFORMS the Public in general, and thoſe Merchants who may pleaſe to employ him in the PEWTERY BUSINESS, that he will allow 2s. 6d. a Pound for old Pewter. As he is juſt come into this Country, he will be much obliged to all thoſe who chuſe to encourage ſo uſeful an undertaking.——Apply at *Michael Keller's* Shop in King-ſtreet, near the Corner of Queen-ſtreet.

TO BE SOLD,

A SCHOONER undecked, that will carry Twelve or Thirteen Cords of Wood; ſtrong and well built, with two new Cables, a Grapnal and Anchor. Enquire of BRAILSFORD & MUNCREEF.

A Valuable NEGRO MAN, being a very good Ship-Carpenter, belonging to a Gentleman off the Province, to be ſold cheap, and a Bill of Exchange taken in Payment. Enquire of RAWLINS LOWNDES.

TO BE SOLD, at the prime Coſt in London,
A PARCEL OF MEDICINES.
Enquire of the PRINTER.

A Few Dozen of choice CLARET, old Jamaica and Barbados RUM in Hogſheads, and fine Barbados Muſcovado SUGAR in Barrels, to be ſold by WILLIAM WEBB.

TO BE SOLD,

GOOD ORANGE JUICE, equal in Quality to Limes, and preferable to any ever offered for Sale in this Province, at *Twenty five Shillings* the Gallon. Enquire of JOHN LYON, in Church-ſtreet.

Juſt imported in the Schooner Nancy, JAMES PUNCHARD, *Maſter, from* SALEM, *and to be ſold by ſaid Maſter, at a Store on Mr.* Champneys's *Wharf,*

BEST White Pine Boards, an Aſſortment of Mens Leather Shoes, and Womens Callimanco Shoes and Pumps, beſt dry Cod-fiſh and Potatoes, Pilot Bread, a Number of fine Saddles and Bridles, Train Oil, Cyder in Barrels, Buckſkin Breeches, with ſome Earthen and Wooden Ware.

ALL Perſons having Demands againſt *Maurice Jones,* deceaſed, late of *St. George's* Pariſh, are deſired to make them known to the Subſcriber, on or before the firſt of *Auguſt* next enſuing. As I intend leaving the Province, this is the only Notice that can or will be given, by EVAN JONES, Adminiſtrator.

TO BE SOLD,

Or to be Let, and entered upon the ſeventh of June next,

THE HOUSE and GARDEN, belonging to the Eſtate of Mr. *Francis Perry,* deceaſed, being oppoſite to New-Market Courſe, and lately occupied by Mr. *William Wayne.* For Particulars, apply to JOHN MARLEY.

Loſt about three Weeks ſince,

A Large, black, NEWFOUNDLAND DOG, anſwers to the Name of *Brandy,* his Ears and Tail cut. Whoever delivers him to the Printer hereof, ſhall have TWO DOLLARS Reward.

On TUESDAY the Seventh Day of MAY,
Will be expoſed for Sale, in Charles-Town,
A ſmall Cargo of likely Windward Coaſt
SLAVES,
Conſiſting of Twenty-five ſtout able Men; Five Women, Thirteen Boys, and Six Girls,
JUST ARRIVED,
In Sixteen Days Paſſage from *Antigua,* in the Schooner *Adventure, Clement Conyers,* Maſter, to be ſold by
GEORGE SMITH,
SMITH & DARRELL.

TAKEN from a Woman, (who it is imagined muſt have ſtole them) laſt Thurſday Night, by ſome of the Watch Company, Three Pair of Mens Cloth Breeches, one ditto black Silk, and one ditto red Silk. The Owner or Owners, may have them again, proving his or their Property, and applying to the Printer hereof.

RUN-AWAY from my Plantation, a Muſtee Wench named SARAH, well known in the Country and Charles-Town; ſhe is very artful and ſenſible. FIFTEEN POUNDS Reward will be given to any Perſon who delivers the ſaid Wench to me, or the Warden of the Work-Houſe, or gives Information of her being harboured by a free Perſon, and FIVE POUNDS if by a Slave.
April 27, 1771. STEPHEN MILLER.

TO BE SOLD,
By SIMON TUFTS,
Near the NEW-EXCHANGE,

JAMAICA, Windward Iſland, and Northward RUM, Loaf and brown SUGAR, MOLASSES, a few Pots of exceeding good SWEET-MEATS, Callimanco SHOES and PUMPS, freſh imported.

On Thurſday the 16th Day of May, at 12 o'Clock preciſely, will be ſold by Auction, to the higheſt Bidder, at the Market Wharf, near the Vendue-Houſe, in Charles-Town;

A Compleat SAILING BOAT, not above 15 Months old, built of the very beſt Materials, in a ſtrong, handſome Manner, and is deemed by all Judges, very ſtaunch and clean; rows and ſails very faſt, and draws but little Water, and is calculated both for Pleaſure and Service, being very roomy, and neatly fitted up Abaft, with convenient Stern-ſeats and Lockers, and elegantly painted. Her Dimenſions are, 24 Feet long, and 6 Feet wide in the Clear. She is furniſhed with Maſts, Sails, Rigging, Oars, Grapnal, Ring-bolt and Chain, that are almoſt new. Any Perſon that inclines to treat at private Sale, before the Day, may view her, by applying to CHARLES WARHAM.

WANTED on Intereſt immediately,

ABOUT FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS Currency, for which good Security will be given.-----For Particulars, apply to the Printer.

On TUESDAY *the* SEVENTH *Day of* MAY,
will be expoſed for Sale, in CHARLES-TOWN, *a* CARGO *of* EIGHTY
Likely young Negroes,
(ALL IN GOOD HEALTH)
Being the Choice of a large Cargo brought from *Sierra Leone* to *Barbados,* and imported from thence in the Brigantine *Betſey Hendy, John Dow,* Maſter, after a ſhort Paſſage.——Three Months Credit will be given.
JOHN SCOTT, (Son of Jonathan.)

TO BE SOLD, at FIRST COST,

A SPINET, made about two Years ago by HITCHCOCK, on the Application of Mr. *Yarnold,* and under his Inſpection. The Inſtrument has a handſome Mahogany Caſe, and is unqueſtionably the beſt in this Province. Enquire of the Printer.

AS the Widow of Mr. JAMES SANDS, deceaſed, is extremely importunate and anxious to have her Affairs ſettled, the Subſcriber therefore deſires all Perſons indebted to the Partnerſhip of CUNNINGHAM & SANDS, to pay their reſpective Accounts by the 15th of next Month, otherwiſe they will certainly be ſued, without further Notice from the ſurviving Copartner.
April 12, 1771. ANDREW CUNNINGHAM.

THIS is to give Notice to all Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of MOSES DARQUIER, deceaſed, that there is a conſiderable Sum wanted immediately to ſatisfy Demands againſt ſaid Eſtate, we therefore requeſt the Favour of every one concerned, to make Payment before the 10th of June next; and to inform them, that all Accounts not paid or ſettled to Satisfaction at that Time, will certainly be ſued for, without Diſtinction or further Notice. Thoſe who have any Demands are deſired to make them known, without Loſs of Time, to
ELISABETH DARQUIER, Executrix.
ANDREW CUNNINGHAM, Executor.

RUN-AWAY from the ſubſcriber's plantation, in St. James, Santee, a young mulatto wench, named MARY, an indented ſervant. As ſhe is ſo well known in town and country, particularly at Aſhley river, where ſhe formerly lived, and was inticed away by her mother, an Indian wench, named SARAH, through the means of ſome evil-minded, malicious, villainous perſons, of a mean degree, and it may juſtly be ſuppoſed that ſhe is now with thoſe ſort of people, and by them harboured and entertained. Whoever will give information upon oath, of her being harboured or entertained by white or black, ſo that ſhe may be taken up, ſhall receive a reward of FIFTY POUNDS currency, as I am determined to proſecute them to the utmoſt rigor of the law, and the mother alſo, for inticing her away. Whoever will ſecure ſaid mulatto maid ſervant, in the work-houſe in Charles-Town, ſhall receive a reward of TWENTY POUNDS, or for delivering her to me, at my plantation, THIRTY POUNDS.
PETER SIMMONS.

TOLLED before me, a black ſtallion, about 13 hands high, a ſtar in his forehead, branded on the mounting ſhoulder ſomething reſembling a horſe-ſhoe.

Alſo, a red roan gelding, near 14 hands and a half high, branded on the mounting ſhoulder and buttock W, paces and trots. The owners muſt prove their property before
April 22, 1771. JOHN JOOR, J.P.

LONDON, FEBRUARY 5.

ANNECDOTES, which may ſerve to explain a late Reſignation, and a very extraordinary Declaration.

LORD Weymouth, out of patience in ſending a declaration (fabricated by the *Cockpit-Houſe Junto*) repeatedly to Madrid, during the ſpace of four months, and receiving back either equivocal anſwers, or abſolute refuſals, determined to order Mr. Harris, the Engliſh Secretary there, to leave the Court of Madrid; which being known to the *Junto*, the K--- expreſſed great diſlike to the meaſure, and the *Secretary Lord Weymouth,* in conſequence, reſigned. Mr. Harris did leave Madrid, and was, and probably is, at preſent, at Liſbon, in his way to England. When the *Junto* found there was no way left to prevail upon the King of Spain to ſign *their declaration,* they were in the utmoſt deſpair, and had recourſe to *Old Reynard,* imploring his aid and advice: he agreed to ſend his hopeful *Young Cub* to *Verſailles,* who, he ſaid, "*fortunately for this nation, had made acquaintance, at the gaming-tables, with the Count de Barre, and by that channel there was a probability of getting to the ear of the* FRENCH MONARCH, *and of engaging him to take a warm part in the buſineſs.*" But in order to *pave the way*---he adviſed, *that five thouſand guineas be* immediately iſſued from the Tr---ry for the Count, and a rich *diamond necklace of more value be purchaſed for the Counteſs de Barre.* ---Furniſhed with theſe *proper materials,* the *Young Cub* ſet forward for Verſailles, accompanied by another *young adventurer, equally* famous for his exquiſite *modeſty*.----An audience of the French King was obtained, and the Engliſh Ambaſſador, Lord Harcourt, was ordered to attend his Majeſty at midnight, who was aſked, when the Parliament of England would aſſemble? He anſwered, on the 23d of January. The French Monarch (being properly prepared) expreſſed a concern that his Brother, the King of Spain, had refuſed to ſign *the declaration*; but ſaid, *as he underſtood his good Brother of England, earneſtly wiſhed for peace, upon any terms, and as he was in the ſame ſentiments, he would undertake for his Brother of Spain, and order his Ambaſſador at the Court of London to ſettle the buſineſs with the Prince Maſſerano.*--- Couriers were diſpatched in conſequence by the ſeveral parties, and a grand conference was immediately held upon their arrival *here,* between the Engliſh oſtenſible Miniſters, the Spaniſh Ambaſſador, and *Monſieur Francois,* Ambaſſador Plenipotentiary from the King of France, but without ſucceſs, Prince Maſſerano poſitively refuſing to ſign, alledging that he had poſitive orders from the *King his maſter to the contrary*.---M. Francois then aſked if he would ſign, upon an indemnification being given him by the King his maſter?---at this the Prince M. heſitated---and M. Francois wrote him a letter upon the ſubject; this was returned, as not properly ſtrong; and likewiſe a ſecond; a third letter, however, had ſome effect, though he ſtill perſiſted in his refuſal.

On Sunday the 21ſt of January, the Count de Guygnes gave a dinner at his houſe in Great George-ſtreet, to which all the Foreign and Engliſh Miniſters were invited;----all, except thoſe of France, Spain, and England, were above ſtairs----theſe remained in the lower apartments till ſix o'clock, in cloſe conference, nor was the dinner ſerved up till that time.---Prince Maſſerano, notwithſtanding all their efforts, remained firm, and abſolutely refuſed ſigning the declaration; nor did he ſign it until the *twenty-third (ſhedding tears at the ſame time.)*----What *arguments* or *means* were made uſe of, *at laſt,* to *induce* him, the writer has not, as yet, been able to learn; but the *public* ſhall be informed the moment he is. It is however very *certain,* that *two days* after he had ſigned this *famous declaration,* he received orders from the King of Spain, his maſter, to return home, *without taking the uſual leave of the Court*----a moſt inconteſtable proof that the King of Spain was totally unacquainted with the negotiation, and that it *originated* and *ended* at London or Verſailles, or Verſailles or London.

Yeſterday died, in Hill-ſtreet, Berkley-ſquare, aged 74, Henry Oſborn, Eſq; fourth ſon of Sir John Oſborn, Bart. of Chicksands, in the county of Bedford. He had ſerved ſixty years in the navy, was Admiral of the white ſquadron of his Majeſty's fleet, and had always acquitted himſelf with honour: his laſt memorable ſervice was in the command of his Majeſty's fleet in the Mediterranean in 1758, where, by his activity and vigilance, he prevented the junction of the French and Spaniſh ſquadrons, for which he received the thanks of the Houſe of Commons. He has left one ſon (now in the ſea-ſervice) and three daughters.

SOUTH-CAROLINA EXPORTS, ſince November 2, 1770, to April 24, 1771.

RICE, *viz.*		INDICO, *viz.*	
To G. Britain,	44851 bls.	To G. Britain,	549384 lb.
Portugal,	7858 bls.	N. America,	3397 lb.
Spain,	1634 bls.	Total of Indico,	552781 lb.
N. America,	6383 bls.		
Britiſh Weſt-India Iſlands,	20872 bls.	Flour,	2087 barrels
Foreign ditto,	736 bls.	Ship-Bread,	280 barrels
Total of Rice,	82,334 bls.	Peaſe,	6990 buſhels
		Potatoes,	335 buſhels
Beef,	89 barrels	Rough Rice,	2896 buſh.
Pork,	1497 bls.	Tobacco,	435 hhds.
Bacon,	985 lb.	Raw Silk,	592 lb.
Butter,	662 firkins	Bricks,	15000
Hogs Lard,	31 Caſks	Candles,	61 boxes
Indian Corn,	47510 buſh.	Raw Hides,	1363
Oats,	70 buſh.	Timber, plank, boards, &c.	207,500 feet.
Pitch,	2120 barrels	Staves,	33 450
Tar, Common,	1119 bls.	Shingles,	276 600
Ditto, Green,	248 bls.	Hoops,	11750
Turpentine,	584 bls.	Otter Skins,	317
Bees-Wax,	4500 lb.	Elk ditto	15
Tanned Leather,	3444 ſides	Tallow,	6 bls.
Ground-Nuts,	267 buſh.	Cow Horns,	10755
Deer-ſkins,	80 507 lb.	Horſes,	59
Soap,	60 boxes	Oranges,	24 bls.
Hemp,	47 784 lb.	Reeds,	3930

YESTERDAY Morning the Ship Unity, Thomas Brown, *Maſter, arrived here in Seven Weeks and Four Days from* Plymouth, *by whom we have received the following* ADVICES, *viz.*

LONDON, FEBRUARY 23.

A Private letter from France ſays, That his Moſt Chriſtian Majeſty and his Miniſtry are ſo highly pleaſed with Monſ. Francois's abilities as a political negociator, of which he gave a moſt ſtriking proof in bringing about, with ſo much dexterity, the convention lately entered into between the Britiſh and Spaniſh Courts, that, as a reward for the ſame, he is to remain in his preſent poſt three years longer, and to be created a Knight of St. Louis.

Other Accounts from France ſay, that a letter, ſigned Damiens, had lately been dropped in the Royal Apartments of Verſailles, which had ſpread great conſternation among the Courtiers.

A letter from Warſaw, dated January 27, ſays, "We are informed that orders are given by the Emperor of Germany to augment the garriſons of Tranſilvania, and to furniſh them abundantly with all ſorts of ammunition and proviſion, as alſo all the other places of that province, and thoſe on the frontiers of the ſeat of war. In ſhort, the Imperial troops are ready to commence a campaign on the firſt ſignal. It is ſuppoſed prudence alone dictates theſe precautions in the preſent ſituation of things."

It is ſaid the Empreſs of Ruſſia has ordered her Ambaſſador to ſignify to our Court, that in caſe her arms ſhould meet with ſucceſs, ſhe will cede to us the iſland of Candy, for the conveniency of our trade to the Levant.

The buſineſs relating to the American Colonies is expected to be the ſubject of conſideration in two auguſt Aſſemblies in a very ſhort time.

Letters from Port Mahon, dated January 24, ſay, "That a Daniſh fleet of ſix ſhips of the line, and two frigates, which had put in there, were preparing to ſail from thence for Algiers, to demand reſtitution of the two Daniſh merchantmen which were taken by the Algerine Xebeques in the Mediterranean, and carried into that place; and, in caſe ſatisfaction is not made, to bombard the town."

Many people are greatly alarmed, but it is ſaid without the ſmalleſt foundation, at the mention of Hanoverian troops being taken into Engliſh pay.

A code of Iriſh bankrupt laws, ſo much wanted to regulate the increaſing fraudulencies of the traders of that kingdom, have been lately tranſmitted to the late Attorney-General for his inſpection, which, after ſome amendments, has been approved of, and they are expected to paſs both Houſes of Parliament, before the cloſe of the preſent ſeſſions.

The Parliament of that kingdom will certainly meet the 26th inſtant.

The Portugal trade, which ſome years ſince uſed to produce above a million a year in favour of England, does not now amount to above 100,000 l. per annum.

We are well informed, that the Defaulter's ſon (commonly called the Young Cub) made upwards of 15,000 l. by the late riſe of the ſtocks.

Yeſterday Sir William Meredith made a motion in the Lower Aſſembly, to read, for the firſt time, a bill to repeal a clauſe in the Nullum Tempus Act; upon which a great debate aroſe. The Miniſtry, and particularly the Carlton-Houſe Junto, oppoſed the motion with great vigour, and collected all their ſtrength. The debate having laſted until paſt 9 o'clock, the Houſe divided; 155 were for reading the bill, and 140 againſt it.---Thus the Miniſtry have been a ſecond time defeated upon this queſtion! However, they intend to fight the matter through, and to leave no means untried to procure a majority in their favour; for this reaſon they have made a bargain with the Earl of Carliſle, "That he ſhall remain quiet in his poſſeſſions, if "he will let his friends, in the Lower Houſe, vote with the "Miniſtry upon this queſtion." His friends laſt night gave evidence that the bargain was concluded, by voting with the Miniſtry.---After the diviſion, Lord North took Sir James Lowther by the hand, and ſaid, "I hope we ſhall do better next time."

Mr. Dunning ſpoke admirably well on the above occaſion, and his application to the landed gentlemen was greatly approved.

It is ſaid that a meſſage from the Premier has been ſent to Col. Burgoyne, to know how he intends voting for the future? To which the other nobly replied, "As the exigencies of my country may require."

The Printers of the Daily and Evening Papers were called for yeſterday, but they not being preſent, notices are iſſued for their attendance on Tueſday next.

A Carpenter at Hounſlow has invented a gunpowder mill, which will blow off without doing the leaſt damage, even to a perſon in the inſide. He underwent the experiment himſelf, without hurt, on Saturday laſt.

FEBRUARY 25. Some letters from Conſtantinople inform, that a treaty between the Porte and the Court of Iſpahan is upon the point of being renewed; which, if effected, will prove very diſtreſſing to the Ruſſians, as the whole Perſian Empire will be engaged in favour of the Turks.

Some accounts of the Ruſſian ſquadron in the Mediterranean repreſent it to be in a deplorable ſtate.

By advices from Madrid we learn, that armed veſſels are continually ſailing from the ſeveral ports of that kingdom for the Spaniſh Weſt-Indies.

A letter from Naples, dated January 22, ſays, If we may credit ſome letters from the Levant, Admiral Spiratow, having received advice that ſome Turkiſh carravalles, joined with other ſmaller ſhips of war, had left the Dardanelles, in order to ſet fire to ſome Ruſſian ſhips which were careening; the Admiral immediately ſet ſail, and coming up with them, after an engagement, he drove ſome on ſhore, ſunk others, and diſperſed the reſt. The letters add, that the Admiral afterwards landed on the iſland of Lemnos, the garriſon of which ſurrendered themſelves priſoners of war.

Thurſday afternoon a meſſenger arrived at the Secretary of State's office in Cleveland Court, from Madrid, with a copy of the King of Spain's *formal* order for reſtoring Port Egmont; and an inſtrument of *approbation*, not of *ratification*, of Prince Maſerano's late *declaration*. But the claim of *right*, which the King of Spain has ſet up to Falkland's iſlands, is to be the ſubject of ſubſequent negociation. And there is great reaſon to apprehend, that, by *private* agreement, in order to obtain the above mentioned *formal* order for reſtitution, our Miniſters have ſtipulated, or *promiſed*, not to ſend any officer, or ſhip, to repoſſeſs Port and Port Egmont.

By private letters from Paris we are informed that the Court is not without apprehenſions of ſome dangerous enterprizes in favour of the parliament; in conſequence of which, the body guards have been doubled, and a univerſal circumſpection enjoined throughout the departments immediately appertaining to royalty.

It was yeſterday reported, that his Moſt Catholic Majeſty was actually upon his way to the Court of Verſailles, where he is in perſon to ſettle ſome matters with the French King, which are judged to be of too delicate a nature to be tranſacted by repreſentatives.

This morning the premium of inſurance on ſhips and merchandize, fell upwards of two per Cent. at the ſeveral underwriters offices in the city, on account of the arrival of the ratification of the late convention between this court and that of Spain, on Thurſday laſt.

It is ſaid that orders were diſpatched yeſterday from the Admiralty board, for the recall of preſs-warrants.

We are aſſured, that it is determined to keep, for ſome time yet, a greater number of ſhips ready for, and in ſervice, as well as ſeamen, than is uſual in time of peace.

It turns out to be very true, what was mentioned in this paper on Thurſday laſt, that the Miniſters have made a private bargain with the Earl of Carliſle, "That he ſhall remain quiet in "his poſſeſſions, if he will permit his friends to vote with them "on the *nullum tempus* queſtion." Mr. Charles Fox was the negociator of this treaty. The queſtion comes on again on Wedneſday next.

Yeſterday morning notice was ſent to the coffee-houſes about the Royal Exchange, to prevent the merchants making further applications for protections, as matters are finally adjuſted between England and Spain.

Twelve hundred thouſand pounds is the neat ſum expended upon the late preparations for war.

It has been publickly declared by a noble Lord, that we may be in peace for a few months longer under preparation for war, which, in his opinion, is unavoidable.

There is a ſtrange jealouſy ariſen among ſome of the principals in power, it is ſaid; what the cauſe is remains yet with a few; but it is further aſſerted, that in conſequence of it, no general conſultations take place; but private audiences of a great perſonage are demanded almoſt every hour upon the moſt trifling ſubjects. In fact, at preſent, the right hand of adminiſtration does not know what the left is about.

It is ſaid that many methods have been tried to purchaſe the ſilence of a patriotic gentleman, but altogether unſucceſsful, the C---- declaring that he will prove himſelf as firm in debate as in the field, and defend the conſtitutional rights of his country with equal zeal, as he would repell the actual invaſion of a foreign enemy.

It is ſaid that the 10th of April is fixed upon for the prorogation of both Houſes of Parliament.

FEBRUARY 26. By a private letter from Venice we learn, that a Venetian tartan, after an obſtinate engagement, was taken by two Algerine corſairs (or frigates) off the Iſle of Corfu, and thence carried to Algiers; at which the ſenate of Venice are ſo enraged, that they are determined to have ſatisfaction.

By a private letter from Paris we learn, that one Burgeois, a Hugonot, by dreſſing himſelf like one of his Majeſty's grooms, or gentlemen of the bed-chamber, got into the anti-chamber at the palace of Verſailles, where he was ſeized on a ſuſpicion that he had a deſign againſt the King's life; however the affair occaſioned ſo much confuſion, bringing a court together, that he found means to eſcape, by changing his hat for that of one of the gentlemen then in waiting on his Majeſty.

Letters from Liſbon mention, that a report prevailed there, of a ſecret treaty having lately been concluded between the courts of France and Portugal, highly advantageous to the commercial intereſts of the former.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in St. Kitts, to his friend in Glaſgow, dated St. Kitts, December 17, 1770.

"I had a letter from St. Croix yeſterday, which ſays, that Meſſrs. Kennedy and Marſhal, the two Engliſh factors at Porto-Rico, were, upon the arrival of the Spaniſh packet there, the 7th of December, both put into jail, and their effects confiſcated, and that next day, the 8th, they were ſent over to St. Croix."

By letters from Gibraltar we learn, that fifteen ſail of Algerine ſhips of war are now fitting out by order of the Dey, to join the Turks againſt the Ruſſians.

It is ſaid that the Governor of Gibraltar has wrote home for inſtructions, whether the communication with Spain on the land ſide is to remain ſhut up as before the ſigning of the late convention.

By the laſt letters from Turin there is advice, that the King of Sardinia is augmenting his forces both by ſea and land.

They write from Amſterdam, that a loan, to the amount of a conſiderable ſum, was negociated there ſome days ago for the French King: That the firſt application had been made to their funds, which was refuſed; but that a body of merchants had collected it out of their private property, on immenſe intereſt, and government ſecurities.

The King of Denmark has publiſhed an edict, ſtrictly forbidding any of his ſubjects from entering into the ſervice of any foreign power.

The averſion of the Spaniards to war may be judged of from the following fact: When Mr. Harris, in purſuance of his inſtructions from Lord Rochford, left Madrid, a general melancholy appeared among all ranks of people. Mr. Potter, ſoon after Mr. Harris's departure, arrived with the ſigned declarations, and ſet out poſt after him by the way of Barcelona, and overtook him about 70 leagues from Madrid. Mr. Harris took horſe, and returned with the utmoſt expedition. The populace, having had previous notice of his return, met him, to the number of 5000 at leaſt, at the gates, and conducted him, with loud acclamations, to the palace. Potter, in the mean time, continued his journey by the way of Barcelona. The Conde d'Ariela, who commands at that place, ſent to him upon his arrival, and upon hearing of the certain proſpect of the continuation of peace, in an extaſy of joy, put his purſe, containing 20 pieces, into his hand. The news being communicated to the populace, they aſſembled together, and teſtified their joy with bonfires, &c.

A whiſper is ſpread at the weſt end of the town, that ſome ſecrets have tranſpired concerning ſome indemnification money, which is to be paid on account of the late convention with Spain.

So far from the court of Spain having readily conſented to the ratification of the convention, we are informed, through a channel of very reſpectable authority, that the greateſt difficulties and evaſions have been made to the compleating that buſineſs.

The uncommon intimacy of the French and Spaniſh miniſters is rather increaſed than abated; and it is believed that their reciprocal confidence, with regard to the moſt private concerns of their reſpective courts, is authorized by their maſters.

From the preſent conduct of the French ambaſſador, as well as from ſome parts of his converſation, it is to be concluded that ſome very material changes are in agitation at his court, either with reſpect to men or meaſures, or both.

The reſpective augmentation of the naval ſtrength of the three principal ſtations, viz. the Mediterranean, Eaſt and Weſt-Indies, are now expediting with the greateſt celerity; orders having been iſſued from the admiralty-board, we hear, for that purpoſe.

We hear that his Excellency Governor O'Hara is preparing to carry over with him to Senegal ſeveral valuable preſents, to be diſtributed to the African Princes in alliance and friendſhip with Great-Britain.

The preſent ſtate of the land forces in India in the pay of the Eaſt-India company, ſpecifying the number and pay of each rank, has been laid before a great aſſembly purſuant to order.

A reſolution is paſſed, that a ſum not exceeding 5796l. 10s. 5d. be granted to his Majeſty upon account, for maintaining and ſupporting the civil eſtabliſhment of his Majeſty's colony of Nova-Scotia for the year 1771.

As it has been proved by experience, that his Majeſty's ſhips of war have ſuffered greatly by the uſual method of laying them up in harbour, we hear the men of war at all the out-ports, as ſoon as out of commiſſion, will each have a certain number of ſeamen and warrant officers on board, to keep the ſhip clean, and prevent the planks and timbers from growing rotten.

This week the wages of ſeamen in the merchants ſervice have fallen fifteen ſhillings per month, on account of preſs-warrants being recalled.

The fate of the nullum tempus bill, which ſo much engages the attention of all parties both within and without doors, it is imagined, will be determined to-morrow.

Some people imagine that Lord Chatham's preſent indiſpoſition is merely political, and that he will 'ere long loſe his flannels in a place of great power. How ſoon this may happen we cannot take upon ourſelves to determine; but that his coming into adminiſtration is a matter ſeriouſly talked of, even among the heads of oppoſition, is a fact we have before intimated on very good authority; and we have ſince come to the knowledge of ſome corroborating circumſtances which juſtify the aſſertion.

Lord Chatham, it is reported, has got into the light of ſome very material circumſtances relative to the late negociation with the court of Spain, communicated to him by a perſon of very high rank (not in this kingdom) who has always held the abilities of his Lordſhip in the higheſt eſteem.

The houſe of commons met very early, and was particularly full this day, in conſequence of meſſengers having been ſent to the members laſt night, informing them that debates of a very important nature were expected to take place.

This day, by an order of the houſe, the printers were ordered to attend at the houſe of commons; but we are aſſured, they will not attend.---By the above order, the ſummons which were ſent to them for this day were to be deemed actual ſervice.

Governor Pownall will make a motion this afternoon reſpecting the convention; and the houſe is expected to ſit late.

The continual debates in the lower-houſe, on the ſubjects of the ſeveral national points which have been laid before them ſince the beginning of the ſeſſion, have ſo much retarded the other buſineſs of the houſe, that it is thought when the general matters now in hand are diſpatched, a termination will be put to the debates, and the houſe will proceed to clear off all the other public and private buſineſs with the utmoſt diſpatch.

Certain new arrangements are ſoon to take place in the board of trade.

A certain nobleman, diſtinguiſhed for his attachment to the continent, is, it is reported, preparing to make a ſpeedy viſit, for the better explaining and ſettling the haſtily concluded accommodation between Spain and Great-Britain; for it is generally confeſſed, that like many of our A--- of P------, it ſtands in need of amendment and enlargement; the work of his hands is therefore to be called a c------n to improve a c-------n, &c. according to the uſual forms on ſimilar occaſions.

We hear that Mr. E. Burke, who was not long ago appointed, by a certain American aſſembly, agent for a principal colony, the other day, when application was made to him to accept it, abſolutely refuſed it, out of an entire ſpirit of independence.

The above agency is reputed to be worth near 1000 l. per annum.

We hear that two patriotic magiſtrates in the city have declared, that if the proper officer belonging to a certain aſſembly, ſhould be brought before them (without bail) for an aſſault, (ſuppoſing it to be the intention of the H. of C. to take the printers into cuſtody) they will immediately commit him to Newgate, notwithſtanding every miniſterial threat or influence.

This is the day appointed for the Iriſh parliament to be opened, by his excellency the lord lieutenant of Ireland.

MARCH 1. We are told that his Daniſh Majeſty will requeſt the aſſiſtance of England againſt the Algerines. All civilized powers ſhould join to chaſtiſe the inſolence of the common enemies of the liberties of mankind.

The following is a liſt of the ſeventeen gentlemen (and the two tellers) who voted againſt taking the printers into cuſtody on Tueſday laſt.

Sir Rob. Bernard, Bt. N. Bailey, Eſq; Col. Barre, Sir Piercy Brett, W. Burke, Rt. Hn. W. Dowdeſwell, J. Dunning, Sir Rob. Clayton, Bt. C. W. Cornwall, Col. Jennings, J. Mauger, R. Oliver, S. Standert, Sir Geo. Saville, Bt. Cha. Turner, R. Whitworth, and Sir Cecil Wray, Bt.-----Anderman Sawbridge, and Alderman Townſend, tellers.

The court party were ſo puſhed on Wedneſday night on the nullum tempus bill, that it is well known they diſpatched meſſengers to members to fetch them out of the Oratorios, and other places of entertainment, deſiring their immediate attendance.

The freſh reports which have ariſen, concerning the new amour of a noble perſonage, has occaſioned an altercation between him and a greater perſonage, wherein the latter told him, that he inſiſted on it, no occaſion ſhould for the future be given to countenance ſuch reports; that he would not have the peace of families diſturbed; and bid him remember an inſtance of a nobleman ſome years ſince, who, on a ſimilar occaſion, was ſtripped of his poſts of honour.

The eſtabliſhment of the army from the 25th of next month is to be the ſame as before the late augmentation, only the ten new companies are to ſtand.

On Wedneſday the recruits lately raiſed for Col. Burgoyne's regiment of light dragoons were diſbanded. They were allowed twelve days pay to bear their expences home, beſides half a guinea bounty-money, from the King. The like is to follow with all the regiments of dragoons.

A letter from Rouen, dated Feb. 9, ſays, "The arret which the parliament of this city delivered the 6th inſt. paſſed by a majority of 52 voices againſt 36. It is to petition his Majeſty for a convocation of the general eſtates of the kingdom.

MARCH 2. Yeſterday a meſſenger arrived in town with an account of the death of the King of Sweden.

Yeſterday about five in the afternoon, Sir James Macartney, in a poſt-coach and ſix, ſet off for the court of Madrid.

Yeſterday a privy council was held at St. James's, when the Earl of Pomfret was ſworn in one of his Majeſty's privy council, and took his ſeat at the board.

Two tranſports with warlike and ordnance ſtores, will accompany the men of war now getting ready to ſail for Port Egmont to take poſſeſſion of Falkland's-iſland from the Spaniards, on board of which will embark two companies of infantry, in order to render Port Egmont of ſufficient force, not to be ſurprized again (if the Spaniards ſhould break the preſent convention) on ſuch humiliating terms as before.

A memorial, couched in a ſpirited ſtile, has been lately remitted from Holland by the Dutch Eaſt-India company, relative, it is ſaid, to the new-intended ſettlement now forming by a certain powerful body this ſide the water, in the latitude of the Philipine iſlands in the Oriental Sea.

Yeſterday the court of directors of the Eaſt-India company ſtationed the London, Capt. John Webb, to Bombay and China.

Ralph Dundaſs, Eſq; is appointed major in the 11th regiment of dragoons, in the room of David Bell, Eſq.

Alexander Hart, Eſq; is appointed captain of a troop in the above regiment, in the room of Ralph Dundaſs, Eſq.

Captain James Webſter is appointed major in the 33d regiment, in the room of Major Gore, by purchaſe.

Lieutenant Sackville Turner is appointed Captain, in the room of Captain Webſter; and Lieutenant Crane to be adjutant, in the room of Lieutenant Turner.

The Death of the King of Sweden, which is confirmed by this day's mails, happened ſuddenly in the night on the 13th paſt. By the ſame channel we have advice of the death of Prince Sapieha of Hungary, on the 24th of January.

It it ſuppoſed, that the Prince Royal of Sweden, and his brother, who are at Paris, and were expected in town the latter end of this month, will return home immediately.

It is currently reported, that ſuch a jealouſy has ariſen between two eminent painters, on account of the favours of a great perſonage, that he has ordered one of them never to appear again in his preſence.

Notwithſtanding the numberleſs aſſertions to the contrary, we can aſſure the public, that the convention lately concluded with Spain, is concluded preciſely on the very terms demanded by Lord Weymouth, and that though Spain laboured very ſtrenuouſly to procure a relaxation in ſome particular points, the miniſtry were peremptory in inſiſting on thoſe which had been obtained, and which are juſt the ſame with the terms that give us a title to Gibraltar and Minorca.

Yeſterday the Earl of Rochford viſited Prince Maſſerano, at Powis-Houſe, and ſtaid with him near two hours.

We hear that her Grace the Dutchess of Northumberland is ſuppoſed by her phyſicians to be in a very dangerous way.

It is ſaid that a reconciliation is accompliſhed between Mr. Wilkes and Mr. Horne, through the mediation of Dr. Wilſon.

The ſum of 112,005l. is granted to pay the out penſioners of Chelſea Hoſpital.

The ſum of 359,927l. is alſo granted for the extra expences of the land forces not before provided for.

The Upper-houſe has paſſed the bill to enable lunatics, entitled to renew leaſes, their guardians and committees to accept of ſurrenders of old leaſes, and to grant new ones.

A correſpondent aſſures us, as a certain fact, that Lord M----d is at preſent the real premier; no ſtep, though ever ſo trifling, being taken without his Lordſhip's approbation.

We hear that the preſent reigning toaſt of the officers of the navy is, Captain Boyle Walſingham, for that gentleman's gallant ſpeech in the houſe, on the ſubject of the late convention.

Extract of a letter from Lynn, February 21.

"Mr. Wilkes, during his ſtay here, was treated with every mark of true reſpect and politeneſs, free from all pomp, parade, and noiſe, agreeable to his own particular private requeſt, leaving all parties perfectly ſatisfied with the honour of his viſit. He intended to have returned to his tenant's, Francis Dixon, Eſq; at Upwell, in order to have viewed his eſtate at that place, but was ſent for expreſs to town on urgent buſineſs."

Several large merchant ſhips are buying up for the ſervice of the King of Denmark. It is ſaid they are intended to cruiſe againſt the Algerines.

Great encouragement alſo is given to Engliſh ſailors to enter into the Daniſh ſervice.

The ſpirit of the times never appeared at a higher pitch than at preſent. Challenges are every day paſſing in the news-papers between the contending writers, on the ſubject of politics. An advertiſement having been inſerted, offering a reward to any bookſeller, or other perſon, who will bring a pamphlet to the chapter coffee-houſe, ſaid to contain letters, &c. which paſſed between the late Duke of Bedford and the Earl of Clanrickarde; his Lordſhip, with a warmth, which, at leaſt, is extremely generous, ſays, in another advertiſement of this day, that "he thinks it a piece of juſtice he owes the memory of that nobleman publicly to declare, that the above advertiſement is entirely againſt his approbation or conſent; that the diſpute alluded to happened many years ago, and was adjuſted to the mutual ſatisfaction of them both; that the Duke's conduct on that occaſion was ſpirited and proper, and therefore if any attempt ſhould be made to vilify his memory from this event; that his Lordſhip ſhall eſteem it an act unworthy the character of a man of honour, and that any perſon capable of ſo ſcandalous a behavior muſt be *a ſcoundrel and a coward.*"

One Mr. James, a great Naturaliſt, has lately diſcovered, in the mountain of Bendupleigh, about fifteen miles from Edinburgh, a mine which produces rubies and topazes, equal, it is ſaid, to any imported from India.

ST. JAMES's, *February* 24. The King has been pleaſed to appoint James Harris, jun. Eſq; to be his miniſter plenipotentiary to his Catholic Majeſty, until the Right Hon. Lord Grantham, his Majeſty's ambaſſador extraordinary and plenipotentiary, ſhall arrive at Madrid.

WARSAW, January 29. *There lately arrived here a courier from Peterſburg, charged with important diſpatches, which have occaſioned ſeveral conferences between the King and her Majeſty's miniſters. A rumour hath thence ariſen, that the Ruſſians are upon the point of entirely evacuating the territories of the republic.*

MARSEILLES, February 8. *According to letters from Smyrna, the Chevalier Montague, ſon of the celebrated Lady Montague, ambaſſador to the porte, who had retired with his ſpouſe to the iſland of Metelin, was very near periſhing there at the time of the maſſacre of the Greeks by the Turks in that Iſle: He eſcaped death only by two thouſand piaſters.---Theſe letters add that he and that he propoſes to fix his reſidence in the mountains of Caſtravan, which form part of Libanus, if the troubles with which that province is threatened do not hinder his project.*

FRONTIERS OF TURKEY, January 20. *The Captain Pacha dares not paſs through the Dardanelles, to levy the cuſtomary tribute, even from the neareſt iſlands. The Ruſſians have deſtroyed nineteen Dulcignote veſſels, but ſome Barks arrived from Paros now give out, that the Ruſſian ſquadron has received orders to ſuſpend its operations till next ſpring, in order to facilitate the negotiations on the tapis for a peace. The grand Viſir has likewiſe applied to general Romanzow for an interview; but the latter by way of preliminary requires, that he ſhould firſt deliver up to him the Sieur Obreſkow, the Ruſſian reſident, whom the porte have laid under an arreſt at Conſtantinople.*

VENICE, February 5. *The Chevalier D'Arf has joined the Ruſſian ſquadron with his fleet, and they are now making diſpoſitions for an enterprize which occaſions a good deal of uneaſineſs in the Archipelago.*

CHARLES-TOWN, APRIL 30.

ON the 14th Inſtant, in Lat. 27, 11 N. Long. 60, 10 W. Captain Longes, of the Sandwich Packet-Boat, ſpoke the Ship Prince-George, Philip Stamford, Maſter, bound from New-York to Jamaica, all well.

We hear Mr. Joſhua Snowden has reſigned his Commiſſion of Enſign to the Watch Company of this Town, and that Mr. James Wright is appointed in his Room.

Arrivals from this Port. The Flora, Carter, at Plymouth.---The King George, Gregory, at Poole.----The Polly, Elliott, at Cowes.

MARRIED.] In St. George's Pariſh, Dorcheſter, Mr. Michael Mackinſuſs, aged 73, to Mrs. Suſannah Molloſon, aged 51.

*** Price of Rice, 45s. per 100lb.

April	CUSTOM-HOUSE, ENTRIES INWARD.	*From*
24th.	Snow Chorley, Henry Critchley,	Tortola
26th.	Schooner Nancy, James Punchard,	Salem
	Sloop Polly, Stephen Snell,	New-York
	Sloop Sukey & Nancy, Thomas Newbold,	St. Kitts
	Sloop Elizabeth, Stafford Dickinſon,	Ditto
	Sloop Minerva, Gideon Sowle,	Brunſwick, N. C.
	Brig Charming-Betſey, Noble Hinman,	Dominica
	Schooner Broton-Iſland Packet, P. Bachop,	St. Auguſtine
	Schooner Dolphin, George Tyler,	Hiſpaniola
	Brig Sea-Flower, Abraham Pearce,	Gibraltar
27th.	Snow Prince-George, Alexander Torrie,	Portſmouth
	Schooner Suſannah, Thomas Nelmes,	St. Kitts
	Brig Dolphin, John Rogers,	Jamaica
29th.	Brig Friendſhip, Adam Cuthill,	Ditto
	Snow Providence, James Ramſey,	Briſtol
	Ship Molly, Alexander Alexander,	Glaſgow
	Sloop Bentham, Ricloff Alberſon,	Newcaſtle
30th.	Ship Unity, Thomas Brown,	Plymouth
	Snow Kinnoul, Andrew Clunie,	Leith
April	ENTRIES OUTWARD.	*For*
24th.	Snow Chorley, Henry Critchley,	Barbados
	Schooner New-Orleans Packet, G. B. Gibbes,	Jamaica
26th.	Sloop Polly, Stephen Snell,	New-York
29th.	Schooner Broton-Iſland Packet, P. Bachop,	St. Auguſtine
	Brig Dolphin, John Rogers,	Jamaica
	Schooner Four-Friends, Henry Rogers,	Dominica
April	CLEARED FOR DEPARTURE.	*For*
24th.	Brig Smyth, Elijah Steel,	Liſbon
	Sloop Two-Brothers, Benjamin Pitt,	Jamaica
26th.	Brig Harriott, James Mahony,	Jamaica
27th.	Ship Sally & Betſey, Francis Stanfell,	Goſport
	Schooner New-Orleans Packet, G. B. Gibbes,	Jamaica
	Brig Rebecca, Owen Shourt,	New-York
29th.	Sloop Polly, Stephen Snell,	Ditto
	Sloop Kingſton, David Tynes,	Jamaica

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

George-Town, April 19, 1771.

THE late Church-Wardens of the Pariſh of *Prince George*, give this NOTICE to the Inhabitants thereof, including that Part lately by the Name of *All Saints* Pariſh, that an Aſſeſſment has been made to defray the Expence of ſupporting the Poor thereof, for the Year paſt, agreeable to the following Rates, that is to ſay, *Three Shillings per Head for all Negroes; Three Shillings for every Hundred Acres of Land*; and *One Shilling and Six-pence for every Hundred Pounds, Value of Town Lots, Monies at Intereſt, Faculty, Profeſſion*, &c. That in Caſe the ſaid Poor-Tax is not paid to us, by the Firſt Day of *July* next, Executions will be iſſued againſt all thoſe refuſing or neglecting the ſame.

JOSEPH BROWN,
THOMAS WILLSON.

RADCLIFFE & SHEPHEARD,

HAVE NOW ON HAND,

PRINTED cambricks and cottons, of a very neat pattern; yard wide plain and figured dimitty, 8 & 10 4th cotton counterpanes, buff and black worſted breeches patterns, green and black ſilk ditto, mens coloured and white ſilk ſtockings, ſome of which come very low, ſilk waiſtcoat pieces, neat India luteſtrings, ſtriped burdett and damaſcus, India and Engliſh perſians, ſtriped and plain India taffaties, blue and crimſon flowered ſattin for hats and cloaks, plain white ditto, a few neat fans, faſhionable ribbons, wax ear-rings and necklaces, mock garnet ditto, mother of pearl ditto, mens white thread hoſe, boys white and brown ditto, girls thread and cotton ditto, 7-8th checks, handſome furniture ditto, mahogany and japan tea-cheſts, ſome as low as 45s. tea-boards and waiters, knife and cheeſe trays, a few ſets of blue and white china cups and ſaucers, ditto mugs from half a pint to a quart, compleat ſets of blue and white tea china, a large Turkey carpet, chair harneſs, and a number of other articles too tedious to enumerate, are to be ſold at their ſtore in *Broad-ſtreet*, oppoſite the *Lieutenant-Governor's*, on their uſual terms.

IF JONATHAN PAYNE, Cooper, (Son of *James Payne*, of Philadelphia) who came here in the Year 1767, be living, and will apply to JOHN JAMES, on *Elliott's* Wharf, he may hear of Something to his Advantage.—If any Perſon can give Information of the ſaid *Payne*, of his being living or dead, the Favour will be kindly taken.

George-Town, Winyaw, April 25, 1771.

WENT-AWAY from the ſubſcriber in George-Town the latter end of *January* laſt, TWO NEGRO MEN, one a very luſty old fellow, named MOBILE, of the *Angola* country; the other a ſlim, middle-aged fellow, about 5 feet 7 inches high, very thick wool upon his head, one or two of his fore teeth out, named JOE, of the *Guinea* country; both had on when they went away, white negro cloth jacket and trowſers. They formerly belonged to *Thomas Wright*, Eſq; of *Gooſe-Creek*, deceaſed, and left by him to Miſs *Hazell*, of *Cape Fear*, afterwards by their directions ſold in this town at vendue. Any perſon taking up either or both of the ſaid negroes, and will deliver them to the warden of the work-houſe, ſhall have *Five Pounds* reward for each, beſides reaſonable charges; or if they bring them to me in *George-Town*, ſhall have *Ten Pounds* for each.

JOSEPH BROWN.

TO BE SOLD,

THE LOT the Subſcribers at preſent live on, ſituate in King-ſtreet, next Door to Mr. Kalteiſen's. The Lot contains 25 Feet in Front on ſaid Street, and 234 Feet in Depth; whereon is a good Dwelling-Houſe of ſeven Rooms, with Fire-places in five of them; and a good dry Cellar below, with a Fire-place; a Two-ſtory Brick Kitchen and Waſh-Houſe, with Fire-places above Stairs, and a dry Cellar below; a Stable fitted up for four Horſes, with a good Hay-Loft.—For Particulars, apply to

PETER & JOHN HORLBECK.

N. B. Two HORSES to be ſold; one of them is 15 Hands high, fit for Chair or Saddle, five Years old. The other is 14 Hands and a Half high, and is likewiſe fit for Chair or Saddle. Apply as above.

ABOUT EIGHTY
AS LIKELY and HEALTHY
NEW NEGROES,

As ever were imported into this Province,

BEING chiefly from the Gold Coaſt; juſt imported in the Sloop Aurora, Samuel Spinks, Commander; TO BE SOLD on TUESDAY the 7th of MAY next, by

JOHN EDWARDS, & Co.

IF the BONDS, NOTES, &c. belonging to the Eſtate of JACOB MOTTE, Eſq; deceaſed, are not ſettled by the Firſt of JUNE next, they will then be lodged with *Charles Pinckney*, Eſq; to be ſued for, without Diſtinction, or further Notice, from

JACOB MOTTE,
OR
JOHN HUGER,
} Executors.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of the late JAMES GORDON, are deſired to make immediate Payment; and all Perſons having Demands thereon, to bring them in, properly atteſted, to

MARY GORDON, Executrix.

On Thurſday the 23d Day of May, will be ſold by public Vendue, at the uſual Place in Charles-Town,

SIX NEGROES, being Part of the Eſtate of JAMES GORDON, deceaſed; among whom are, a Carpenter, a ſtout healthy Fiſherman, a Wench with a Child, that can Cook, Sew, Waſh, and Iron; a young Wench that is uſed to tend in the Houſe, and a Negro Woman.—The Conditions of Sale are, Three Months Credit, giving ſufficient Security.

A Freſh Supply of EDWARD JOYCE's famous AMERICAN BALSAM, which has proved ſerviceable in moſt of the Diſorders mentioned in the Directions, is juſt received, and to be ſold by CHARLES CROUCH, in Elliott-ſtreet.

A Genteel PHÆTON, very little the worſe for wear, to be ſold Cheap, by MANSELL, CORBETT, & ROBERTS.

For any Port in GREAT-BRITAIN, PORTUGAL or the MARKETS,
The Ship UNITY,
THOMAS BROWN, Maſter.

A Faſt ſailing, handy Veſſel, will carry from Six to Seven Hundred Barrels of Rice. For Freight apply to ſaid Maſter, or MANSELL, CORBETT, & ROBERTS.

THE two indented ſervants, named *Daniel* and *Henderick*, advertiſed to have run away from *Charles Bernard & Co.* from *Sunbury*, were taken up in *Charles-Town*, and are now in the Work-Houſe.

JOHN BROWN, Warden.

TO BE LET,

And may be entered on the firſt Day of AUGUST *next*,

THE Commodious BRICK HOUSE in *Meeting-ſtreet*, now in the occupation of Mrs. MOTTE, and next Door to JOHN PAUL GRIMKE, of whom enquire for farther Particulars.

Who has alſo to Let,

The Compleat new BRICK TENEMENT in *Broad-ſtreet*, next Door to Mr. *Newman Swallow's*, and which may be entered upon immediately.

TO BE LET,

THE Front STORE and CELLAR of the Houſe I now live in, lately occupied by Mr. *Hugh Swinton*. Apply to CHARLES CROUCH.

TO BE LET,

And may be entered upon the Twenty-firſt of June next,

THAT airy, pleaſant, and convenient HOUSE at *Auſterſburgh*, at preſent occupied by the Honourable Colonel POWELL. For Terms, Enquire of TIMOTHY CROSBY, in Charles-Town.

FINE Gilt Letter Paper, with other Writing Paper, Ink Powder, Wafers, Sealing Wax, beſt Dutch Quills, and other Stationary, to be ſold by CHARLES CROUCH, in Elliott-ſtreet; where alſo may be had, the celebrated Sermons to Aſſes, ſaid to be wrote by the ingenious Dr. Franklin.

TO BE SOLD by private Contract, and may be entered upon immediately;

THE HOUSE and LOT in Broad-ſtreet, where the Subſcriber now reſides, with Kitchen, Waſh-Houſe, Back-Stores, Cellars, Coach-Houſe, Stables, and every other Conveniency for a private Family, or for a Perſon in Trade, for which the Situation is equal, if not ſuperior, to any in Charles-Town.

The Purchaſer may have one, two or three Years Credit, paying the Intereſt punctually. For further Particulars, apply to THOMAS LOUGHTON SMITH.

To be Let, and may be entered upon immediately,

THAT pleaſant ſituated HOUSE in the Fortification near Lyttelton's Baſtion, lately poſſeſſed by the Subſcriber, who is now removed into Church-ſtreet continued, oppoſite Thomas Savage, Eſq. For further Particulars, enquire of

JOHN MORRIS.

Who has for Sale, three likely NEGRO WENCHES, and a good HOUSE GIRL, about 14 Years of Age, all ſeaſoned Negroes. Twelve Months Credit will be given, paying Intereſt, with approved Security.

RUN-AWAY from the ſubſcribers plantation, in *St. Stephen's* pariſh, on Sunday night, the 31ſt of March laſt, the ſix following negroes, viz. *Cudjoe*, *Jemmy*, *Long Jemmy*, *Rynah*, *Venus*, and her daughter *Dye*, about 12 years old, lately purchaſed at the ſale of Capt. *North's* eſtate. It is ſuppoſed they intend for *Ponpon*, where they lately lived, or the *Horſe-Shoe*, and have carried moſt of their cloaths with them. *Cudjoe* is an elderly fellow, very artful, and ſuppoſed to have inticed the others away; he has been uſed to the coaſting buſineſs ſouthwardly, and is ſo well known, (as well the others) as to need no further deſcription ——— Whoever apprehends the ſaid negroes, and delivers them to the warden of the work-houſe in Charles-Town, ſhall receive a reward of TEN POUNDS currency for each; and upon proof given of the perſon harbouring them, TEN POUNDS if a negro, and TWENTY POUNDS if a white perſon.

PETER & JAMES SINKLER.

RUN-AWAY from the ſubſcriber, a negro man named HECTOR, this country born, a likely well made fellow, very black complexion, about 27 years old, late the property of Mr. *Sims White*, ſuppoſed to be harboured at Mr. *Bayne's* plantation in *Chriſt-Church* pariſh, where his father and mother reſides.——Alſo, a negro man named MARATONE, about 45 years old, lately purchaſed at the ſale of Mr. *James Le Bas's* eſtate at *Monck's Corner*. Whoever apprehends the ſaid negroes, and delivers them to the warden of the work-houſe in Charles-Town, ſhall receive a reward of TEN POUNDS currency for each, and all reaſonable charges; and the like reward upon proof given of their being harboured, if by a negro, and *Fifteen Pounds* if a white perſon.

theft. JAMES SINKLER.

SOUTH-CAROLINA,

WHEREAS at a Court of *General Seſſions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Aſſize and General Goal Delivery*, begun and holden at Charles-Town, on Monday the 15th Day of April, Inſtant, *Benjamin Coachman, Hugh Thompſon, Richard Guerard, Edward Dempſey, Alexander Rigg, Andrew Grier, Archibald Stanyarne*, and *George Threadcraft*, being duly ſummoned and returned to ſerve as Petit Jurors at the ſaid Court, made default, and were noted for Non-appearance: THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, that they will be fined in the Sum of FIVE POUNDS Proclamation Money each, unleſs they ſhall reſpectively make good and ſufficient Excuſes, upon Oath, for their Non-attendance, on or before the Monday immediately preceding the ſecond Tueſday in May next.

JAMES JOHNSTON, C. C. & P.

Crown Office, April 15, 1771.

To the moſt Ancient and Honourable SOCIETY *of* FREE *and* ACCEPTED MASONS.

THE LODGE of JACKSONSBURGH intend to hold their ANNIVERSARY MEETING on Wedneſday the firſt Day of May next, in their newly-erected Lodge-Room, whence they are to *proceed* to Church, where a Sermon is to be delivered by the Reverend Brother PANTING, Rector of St. Andrew's.—The Company of ſuch Viſiting Brethren as will be pleaſed to attend on that Occaſion, will be duly eſteemed. The Lodge will be opened at *Nine* in the Morning, Dinner on the Table at *Two*. Such worthy Brethren, whoſe Love of the Craft, and juſt Regard for the Honour of the Inſtitution, may induce them to viſit on that Day, are entreated to ſend in their Names to Mr. HENRY WEBSTER, Secretary, on or before the 25th of April Inſtant, that the Stewards may be enabled to provide accordingly.

N. B. There will be a BALL in the Evening, to which every Brother will be entitled to introduce *two* Ladies.

HYSON TEA,

EXCEEDING fine, at Five Pounds Caſh the Pound, to be ſold by
MANSELL, CORBETT, & ROBERTS.

ALEXANDER ROSE,

INTENDING to leave the Province early in the Summer, deſires all Perſons indebted to him, to pay him immediately, to enable him to diſcharge what he owes; and all Perſons to whom he is indebted, to bring in their Accounts.

He gives this public Notice alſo, that he is in the mean Time ready to anſwer, or give Bail, to any Suit, Summons, or Complaint, that may be iſſued or brought againſt him, agreeable to the Attachment Act.

NOTICE is hereby given to all thoſe indebted to the Eſtate of RENE PEYRE, deceaſed, that the Bonds and Notes are lodged in the Hands of THEODORE GAILLARD, jun. in Charles-Town, in order to receive the Intereſt thereon. Such as Neglect paying the ſame, before the 15th of May next, have this LAST AND FINAL NOTICE, That their Bonds, &c. will be put in Suit for both Principal and Intereſt, in order to be recovered and put out again into ſuch Hands as will be more punctual, in paying the Intereſt regularly.

JOHN GAILLARD.

LOST a few Days ago in Charles-Town, a GOLD SEAL, with a Coat of Arms engraved thereon. Whoever has found it, and will deliver it to the Subſcribers, ſhall receive a Reward of FIVE POUNDS.

MANSELL, CORBETT, & ROBERTS.

To be LET, and may be entered upon immediately;

THE HOUSE up the PATH, in which the Subſcriber lately lived, belonging to RAWLINS LOWNDES, Eſq. The Houſe has in it eight large Rooms, with Fire-Places in each, and ſome of them neatly wainſcoted: Together with a good Kitchen and Waſh-Room, Coach-Houſe, Stable, Fowl-Houſe, Pantry, a large dry Cellar, a Garden, well planted, and about fifteen Acres of Paſture Land. The Terms will be reaſonable to any Perſon that will take it for the Term of three Years. For further Particulars, enquire of JOHN THOMAS.

MORO,

WILL cover this Seaſon any Time after the firſt of April next, at *Spoon Savannah, St. Paul's* Pariſh, where Thomas Ferguſon, Eſq; now reſides, at FIVE POUNDS Sterling each Mare, and a *Dollar* to the Groom. No Mares will be received unleſs the Money is ſent with them. Very good Paſturage, and great Care will be taken of the Mares.

Should any of the Mares not prove with Foal, if the Horſe is not ſold, they ſhall be covered next Year Gratis.

N. B. Moſt of MORO's Sires and Grand-Sires covered at *Ten Guineas* in England.—Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe the above Horſe may treat with

ANDREW RUTLEDGE, or
tbetf. ANDREW LORD.

WANTED immediately, upon James-Iſland,

THE PLACE BEING NOW VACANT,

A SCHOOL MASTER, capable of teaching accurately Reading, Writing, and vulgar Arithmetic; diligent in his Buſineſs, and ſober in his Behaviour. A Perſon of ſuch a Character, may meet with tolerable Encouragement, by applying to the TRUSTEES of ſaid School.

N. B. A ſingle Gentleman, *cæteris paribus*, will be moſt welcome.

For SALE, by private Contract,

ON REASONABLE TERMS,

SEVERAL very valuable LOTS of LAND in *Anſonborough*, fronting on the Broad Road, St. Philip, George, and Benoiſt-Streets. Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe either of the Lots, may ſee a Plan of them, by applying to PETER STEVENSON.

THOMAS MORE's ALMANACK, for the Year 1771, to be ſold by the Printer hereof.

Charles-Town, March 23, 1771.

WHEREAS the Co-partnerſhips of *James Wilſon, John Coram*, and *Richard Wayne*, under their ſeveral Firms and Connections, are diſſolved; and Part of the Eſtate and Intereſt thereunto belonging is, by us, made over to Mr. GEORGE DICKINSON, in Charles-Town, in Truſt for their Creditors in England; and the Remainder to JACOB VALK, in Truſt for the Payment of their Creditors in this Province.——All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Co-partnerſhips, (and in particular thoſe who have open Accounts) are deſired to diſcharge the ſame, or give Security immediately, to the Truſtees aforeſaid, to prevent ſuch Meaſures being purſued, as muſt be diſagreeable to all Parties.

JAMES WILSON,
JOHN CORAM,
3 m. RICHARD WAYNE.

THE Stock of GOODS, lately belonging to *Wilſon, Coram, Wayne*, & Co. being aſſigned to me, in Truſt for their Creditors in England; the ſame are now diſpoſing of at a low Advance, for Caſh or Produce. Amongſt a great Variety of Articles, there are a few Boxes of beſt *London Crown Glaſs*, with a general Aſſortment of *Ship Chandlery*; all which ſtill lye at the Old Store on the Bay.

GEORGE DICKINSON.

WILLIAM PROCTOR,

TAYLOR;

INFORMS the Public in general, and his Cuſtomers in particular, that he has removed from *Bedon's Alley* to Mr. *Darby Pendergraſs's* on the *Bay*, and next Door to Capt. *James Reid's*. He hopes for a Continuance of his Cuſtomers Favours, as they may depend on having their Work done in the neateſt and beſt Manner.

To be ſold or hired,

A Young, healthy NEGRO WENCH, that can Waſh, Iron, and Cook tolerably well. Any Perſon wanting to hire or purchaſe her, may apply for further Particulars to the Printer.

RUN-AWAY on Saturday night, the 6th inſtant, from *Ralph Izard*, Eſqr's. plantation at *Round Savannah*, two NEW NEGROES, lately purchaſed; had on blue negro cloth frocks and trowſers, has their country marks, black complexion, ſtout and well made, and it is ſuppoſed cannot tell their own or their maſter's name. Whoever takes them up, and delivers them to me at *Round Savannah*, or to the warden of the work-houſe in Charles-Town, ſhall have THREE POUNDS Reward.

WILLIAM BURGESS.

TO BE SOLD by public Outcry, on Thurſday the 2d Day of May next, at the Plantation lately belonging to Drury Dunn, *deceaſed, near Savannah River, in St. Peter's Pariſh*;

ABOUT Five Hundred Buſhels of Corn, ſome Peaſe, Houſhold Furniture, Plantation Tools, &c. and one or two infirm Negroes. The Conditions of the Sale will be Caſh. By Order of the Adminiſtrator,

WILLIAM DUNN.

Charles-Town, February 20, 1771.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Subſcribers, by Order of the Honourable the Court of Common-Pleas in this Province, were lately appointed Truſtees, or Aſſignees of the Eſtate and Effects of SIMS WHITE, of Charles-Town, Merchant, an Inſolvent Debtor; and by like Order, all and ſingular the Eſtate, real and perſonal, of the ſaid SIMS WHITE, was aſſigned to them, in Truſt as well for ſuch of the Creditors, as had commenced Suits againſt the ſaid SIMS WHITE, as all other the Creditors of the ſaid SIMS WHITE, who might be willing to receive a Dividend of the ſaid Eſtate, according and in Proportion to their ſeveral Debts, and ſhould within Twelve Months from the Time the ſaid SIMS WHITE was diſcharged, viz. the Twenty-firſt Day of January now laſt paſt, deliver unto the ſaid Truſtees, or any of them, an exact Account upon Oath of the ſeveral Debts and Demands to them owing. The Truſtees therefore requeſt ſuch of the Creditors, as are willing to accept a Dividend in Manner aforeſaid, to be ſpeedy in delivering a State of their Demands.

JOHN ROSE,
ANDREW LORD,
CHARLES PINCKNEY, } Aſſignees.

TARTAR,

COVERS this Seaſon at the Plantation of Mr. JOHN GAILLARD, in *St. Stephen's* Pariſh, at THIRTY-FIVE POUNDS each Mare.

N. B. None will be covered before the Money is paid.

WANTS EMPLOYMENT,

IN a Store or Counting-Houſe, a young Man who has been uſed in both Capacities, and can have a good Recommendation of his Conſtancy and Sobriety. Any Perſon in want of ſuch a one, may hear of him, by applying to the Printer.

RUN-AWAY from the ſubſcriber, about eight months ago, a negro fellow named HARRY, this country born, and well known both in town and country; he is ſuppoſed to be harboured near *Aſhley River*. Whoever will apprehend, and deliver the ſaid negro to the ſubſcriber, at *Indian Land*, or to the warden of the work-houſe in Charles-Town, ſhall receive a reward of TEN POUNDS currency, and all reaſonable charges paid them. And whoever will give information upon oath, of his being harboured by any white perſon, ſhall receive a reward of FIFTY POUNDS currency. All maſters of veſſels, and others, are forewarned not to carry ſaid fellow off the province.

tbetf. JOSEPH BRAILSFORD.

STOLEN or driſted, on the 20th of December laſt, from Mr. *Roper's* Wharf, a large Cypreſs CANOE, about 26 Feet and a half long, and four Feet and a half wide, rows with five Oars, was painted within and without with Spaniſh Brown and Tar, had all her Thwarts taken out, except her main one; had a Hole in her after Thwart that ſupported her Stern-ſheets, for the Uſe of an Awning. Whoever delivers ſaid Canoe to me, on *St. Helena* Iſland, or Meſſrs. JOHN EDWARDS, & Co. in *Charles-Town*, ſhall have a Reward of TEN POUNDS, and all reaſonable Charges paid.

6w. CHARLES CAPERS.

To be ſold by private Sale,

A PLANTATION or TRACT of LAND, on the Eaſt Branch of *Saltcatcher River*, in *St. Bartholomew's* Pariſh, containing One Thouſand Acres; butting and bounding on Lands of Thomas Ferguſon, Eſq; and about a Mile from two very large Rice Plantations, owned by Mr. Inglis, of Charles-Town, and William Roper, Eſq; and not exceeding four Miles from James Donnom, Eſqr's.

It appears by a Survey lately made, that there is about Six Hundred Acres of the One Thouſand, prime Rice Land, and the moſt Part of the Remainder good Proviſion Land. There is Seventy Acres of the Swamp Land cleared, alſo Forty Acres of the Proviſion Land, and under good Fence.

The moſt Part of the Swamp Land that is cut down, has been planted for ſome few Years paſt, and it is thought to be not more than thirteen Miles from this Plantation to the Landing that is now made uſe of, and a very clear Probability of the Landing being four or five Miles nearer, as the Tide flows about this Diſtance farther up the River than where the Landing is at preſent.

There is Five or Six Hundred Buſhels of Proviſion at the above Plantation, which will be diſpoſed of to the Purchaſer, if agreeable.——On ſaid Plantation is a very good Barn on Cills, 40 by 20 Feet, a very good Overſeer's Houſe, Negro Houſes, &c. For further Particulars, apply at the *Horſe-Shoe*, to THOMAS JONES, ſen.

Juſt imported per Capt. Schermerhorn, *from* New-York, *and to be ſold by*

WILLIAM MILLIGAN,

At a Store on Mr. Champneys's *Wharf*,

A Quantity of choice SALTPETRED HAMS, and beſt SPERMACÆTI CANDLES.

RUN-AWAY from the ſubſcriber, on Saturday the 23d of February, 1771, from Ponpon, four negroes, viz. two men and two women; the fellows names are *Prince* and *Briſtol*; *Prince* is country born, and *Briſtol* St. Kitts born, who is about 6 feet high, of a yelloviſh complexion, and ſpeaks very good Engliſh. *Prince* is about 5 feet 11 inches high, of a black complexion, and a very ſenſible fellow. One of the wenches is named *Hagar*, a very yellow wench; the other named *Bella*, both ſenſible and country born. Whoever will deliver the ſaid negroes to me at Ponpon, or to the warden of the work houſe, ſhall receive TEN POUNDS reward, and all reaſonable charges.

WILLIAM BEE.

N. B. All maſters of veſſels, and others, are cautioned againſt carrying them off the province, as they will anſwer the contrary at their peril. tbetf.

Juſt imported in the Brigantine Charles-Town Packet, Samuel Wright, *Maſter, from* Philadelphia,

HAYNES's beſt double BEER in Barrels, to be ſold reaſonable for Caſh, at the Compting-Houſe of Meſſrs. *Terrans, Peaug, & Co.* by

WILLIAM GRAHAM.

TAKEN up in *Ponpon River*, the 6th of April, Inſtant, a ſmall CANOE, about 16 Feet long, three Feet wide, rows with two Oars, has a Chain at her Head. Whoever owns the ſaid Canoe, may have her again, paying Charges, and applying to me in King-ſtreet, oppoſite Mr. Cato Aſh's.

JOHN CRIPPS.

For PHILADELPHIA,

(To ſail in Ten Days)

The Brigantine BOLTON,

JOHN HARE, Commander.

A Fine new Veſſel, with excellent Accommodations for Paſſengers. Two-thirds of her Cargo is ready to go on board, for Freight of the Remainder, or Paſſage, apply to the Maſter, or DANIEL & ISAAC BOURDEAUX.

N. B. Said Veſſel will carry Paſſengers to New-York, ſhould any offer to make it worth her while to touch at that Place.

Brought to the WORK-HOUSE.

November 7, 1770. A negro fellow, calls himſelf JOE, ſays he was born in *Corbet County, Maryland*, his maſter's name is *Chriſtopher Lowndes*, a merchant, in *Bladenſburg, Prince-George County*, that he was ſhipped on board the ſnow *Apollo, John Milford*, maſter, (the veſſel belonging to the ſaid Mr. *Lowndes*) bound to *Liverpool*, and that when the veſſel arrived there, he left her, and went to *London*—alſo ſays, that he has been abſent about 4 years; he is five feet one inch high, full faced, red eyed, wears temple wiſkers; is a ſhipwright by trade, and came in here with Capt. *Kelly*, from *St. Vincent's*. Taken up in *Charles-Town*.

February 16, 1771. A new negro fellow, who cannot tell his own or his maſter's name, nor that of his country; he is 5 feet 5 inches high, yellow complexion, pitted with the ſmall-pox, his country marks on both ſides his face and forehead, a caſt in his eyes, ears bored, his country marks on his back and left hand, wants two joints of the little finger, has on an old white negro cloth jacket and leggings. Taken up at *William McGee's* cloſe, near *Black Mingo* church.

April 20, 1771. A negro fellow, calls himſelf WALLY, this country born, 5 feet 8 inches high, has on a white negro cloth jacket, with a blue one under it, white breeches and leggings, of a black complexion, thin viſſage, and ſmall beard, well built, ſtreight limbed, and his ankles ſwelled. He formerly belonged to Mr. *John Helman* at *Aſhley Ferry*, but is now the property of Mr. *Walker*, ſurveyor, at *Horſe-Savannah*. Taken up at *Four Holes*, at Mr. *Aldridge's* plantation.

JOHN BROWN, Warden.

RUN-AWAY from the ſubſcriber in Charles-Town, two negro fellows, named BEOY and JUPITER, the firſt is about five feet and an half high, well made, the other a ſhort, old looking fellow. Whoever will deliver either of them to me in King-ſtreet, or on my plantation in St. Stephen's pariſh, ſhall have FIVE POUNDS reward, and all reaſonable charges paid, by

BLAKE LEAY WHITE.

Wanted immediately,

A Perſon to mould and burn Fifty Thouſand BRICKS; ſuch a one, bringing a proper Recommendation of his Sobriety and Diligence, will meet with good Encouragement. Apply to the Printer.

CHARLES-TOWN: Printed by CHARLES CROUCH, in Elliott-Street.